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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Feng et al.

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For : MODULATORS OF SHP2 TYROSINE

PHOSPHATASE AND THEIR USE IN THE TREATMENT OF BODY

WEIGHT DISORDERS

Examiner : Bertoglio, Valarie E.

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 19, 2011, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of Interview begins on page 4 of this paper.

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